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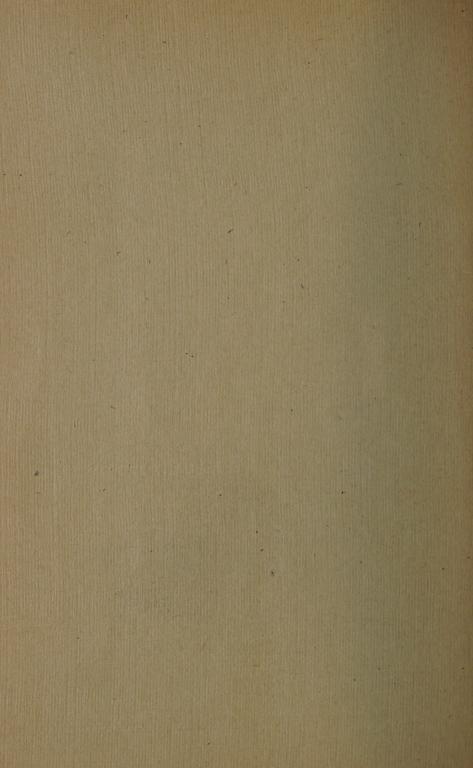
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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator, Charles H. Brackett.

Clerk, LeRoy Babkirk.

Selectmen, Elmer D. Moulton, John A. Chapman, Richard S. Moody.

Treasurer, George A. Norton.

Highway Agents, F. P. Hughes, W. P. Hoyt, Samuel W. Kirkwood.

Collector of Taxes, John E. Seavey.

Board of Education, Lee R. Babkirk, Clarence E. Gowan Gladys E. Sewall, Frank B. Moody, Treasurer.

Board of Health, John E. Seavey.

Library Trustees, William R. Weeks, Mrs. William E. Beck, Edward G. Clough.

Supervisors, John W. Weeks, E. G. Clough. Albert R. Hatch.

Auditors, Geo. A. Sewall, Frank B. Moody.

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE



To the inhabitants of the Town of Greenland, in the County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to Vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Town, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subject:—

- 1. To bring in your ballots upon the question as to whether the amendment proposed by the Convention to revise the Constitution shall be approved.
- 2. To choose by ballot all necessary Town Officers for the year or years ensuing.
- 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5000, towards the payment of a Federal Highway.
- 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the permanent improvement of highways, under the laws of 1905, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$283.50 for the same.

- 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000. for the maintenance of the Trunk Line Highway.
- 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750, for the maintenance of State Aid Roads.
- 7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairing Highways and Bridges.
- 8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Weeks Public Library.
- 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.
- 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum \$400 for the control of the White Pine Blister.
- 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to re-build the Horse Sheds.
- 12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty three.

JOHN A. CHAPMAN,
RICHARD S. MOODY,

Selectmen of Greenland

Budget of the Town of Greenland, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, January 31, 1923 to January 31, 1924 Compared with

Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, January 31, 1922 to January 31, 1923.

	1	Actual	Estimated
		Revenue	Revenue
Sources of Revenue		Previous	Ensuing
		Year	Year
		1922	1923
From State:			
Railroad Tax	\$	601.17	\$ 601.17
Savings Bank Tax		582.93	582.93
For Fighting Forest Fires		8.55	
(b) For Trunk Line			
Maintenance		291.04	200.00
From Local Sources Except Taxe	es:		
All Licenses and Permits exc	cept		
Dog Licenses		235,90	240.00
From Poll Taxes		576,00	600.00
Revenue Applicable Only to New			
Construction and Improvement	s:		
From State:			
(a) For State Aid Highway			
Construction		332.36	340.00
Total Revenues from All Sources			
except Property Taxes	2	,527.95	
Amount Raised			
by Property Taxes:	18	,658.20	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$21	,186.15	

	Actual	Estimated
	Expenditures	Expenditures
Furpose of Expenditures	Previous	Ensuing
	Year	Year
	1922	1923
Current Maintenance Expenses	•	non-ora-se
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 462.50	\$ 462.50
Town Officers' Expenses	256.35	200.00
Election and Registration Ex	penses 84.80	60.00
Care and Supplies for Town I	Hall 569.37	
PROTECTION OF PERSONS		
AND PROPERTY:		
Police Department	42.60	40.00
Fire Department	61.00	50.00
HEALTH:		
Health Department	100.28	75.00
Vital Statistics	4.00	4.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:		
State Aid Maintenance		
State's Contribution	953.64	750.00
Town's Contribution	1,492.88	750.00
Trunk Line Maintenance:		
State's Contribution	1,647.21	1,500.00
Town's Contribution	1,098.11	1,000.00
Town Maintenance	897.68	1,000.00
Street Lighting	441.32	450.00
EDUCATION:	50.00	50.00
Libraries	450.00	450.00

		timated
	Expenditures Ex	_
Purpose of Expenditures	Previous	Ensuing
	Year	Year
	1922	1923
RECREATION:		
Parks and Playgrounds	35.00	35.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPR	ISES	
	18.00	18.00
INTEREST:		
On Temporary Loans	10.00	
On Bonded Debt	1,100.00	1,025.00
Outlay for New Construction an	d	
Permanent Improvements:		
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES	3	
Federal Road	2,000.00	7,000.00
State Aid Construction		
State's Contribution	- 332.36	340.00
Town's Contribution	830.89	850.50
Sidewalk Construction	56.00	
Indebtedness:		
PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL	OF'	
DEBT		
(a) Bonds		3,000.00
Payments to Other Government	al	
Divisions:		
STATE TAXES	1,620.00	1,500.00
COUNTY TAXES	1,280.44	1,180.00
PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL		
DISTRICTS	5,356.00	6,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$18,317.22	

Appropriation for 1922—3

State T	ax .	\$1,620.00	
County	Tax	1,280.44	
	Less revenue expected		
	from other sources	\$	1,716.82
Highwa	ıys:		
Fed	leral Road		4,000.00
Sta	te Aid Maintenance		1,500.00
Tru	ink Line Maintenance		1,200.00
Tor	wn Maintenance		1,000.00
Sta	te Aid Construction		277.00
Tov	vn Charges		1,502.68
Sch	ools		5,210.00
Ret	iring Bond		1,500.00
Inte	erest on Bonds		1,100.00
		\$	19,006.50

Schedule of Town Property

DESCRIPTION

Town lands	\$ 1,000.00
Library, land and buildings	15,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,400.00
Highway department equipment	200.00
Brick Hall	2,500.00

\$ 20,100.00

INVENTORY OF TOWN

Land and buildings	\$495,140.00	
Horses, 150	15,980.00	
Mules, 2	200.00	
Cows, 375	23,410.00	
Other neat stock, 37	2,025.00	
Sheep, 15	75.00	
Hogs, 189	2,895.00	
Fowls, 1325	1,325.00	
Wood, lumber, etc., rot stock in		
trade		7,000.00
Stock in national banks	300.00	
Money on hand, at interest on		
deposit	440.00	

Stock in trade

950.00

Poles and wires, R. C. L. & P. C. 15,660.00

,660.00

\$565,400.00

Polls, 287 @ \$5.00 Polls, 13 @ 3.00 \$1,435.00

39.00

\$1,474.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

For the year ending January 31, 1923.

RECEIPTS—Current Revenue

From Local Taxes—

Property and poll taxes, 1921 and 1922		\$16,220.03
From State— Railroad tax	601.17	
Savings bank tax	582.93	
For Forest Fires	8.55	
•		1,192.65
For State Aid Construction	332.36	
For Trunk Line Maintenance	291.04	
		623.40
From Town of Deerfield for need	ly	604.86
From County—		789.22
For county needy From Local Sources, Except Taxes		109.22
Dog licenses	146.00	
Permits or licensing Autos	235.90	
Estate of S. A. Ball,		
Cemetery trust fund	100.00	

Temporary loan Sale of Gravel	995.00 8.40	
		1,485.30
Total receipts from all sources Cash on hand at beginning of year		20,915.46 1,020.12
Total Revenue	***	\$21,935.58
,		
PAYMENTS		é
Current Maintenance Expenses—		
(1) Salaries and expenses of principal town officers	728.85	
(2) Election and registration expenses	74.80	
		803.65
Protection of Persons and Property-	-	
Police department Herman Bartholic, Officer Fire Dept. Forest Fires Services Ports. Fire Dept.	42.60 11.00 50.00	102.60
		103.60

Health and Sanitation— Health Department John E. Seavey, Officer Services Tetanus Antitoxin Vital statistics	46.28 54.00 4.00	
		104.28
Highways and Bridges—		
(3) Highways, maintenance, town account	193.75	
Highways, snow account	703.93	
Highways, show account Highways, trunk line maintenance, W. A. Odell	700.90	
Patrolman	2,625.48	
State Aid Maintenance	138.00	
Street lighting	441.32	
Town Hall and repairs	569.37	
		4,671.85
(4) State Aid Construction		1,163.50
Federal Road Construction		2,000.00
Education—		
Salaries of school board	50.00	
Library	450.00	
		500.00
Charities—		
County needy		
County needy		921.64

Public Service	Enterprise
Operated by	Town-

Care and repairs of town clock,	
Daniel Mahoney	18.00
Mowing and raking grass and	
bushes, Libbey & Odell	35.00
Cemetery Trustees, Albert R. Hatch	100.00

153.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions—

Taxes paid to state	1,620.00 358.00	
Taxes paid to county Temporary loan and interest	1,978.00 1,280.44 1,005.00	. ,
(5) Payments to school district Abatement refunded Interest on bonds	5,356.00 1.32 1,100.00	
Total payments for all purpose	21,142.28	
Cash on hand at end of year— In hands of Town Treasurer	793.30	
	\$21,935.58	

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail I. Salaries and Expenses of Principal Town Officers

Selectmen.

Salaries

Detectifien,		
E. D. Moulton	\$100.00	
John A. Chapman	50.00	
Richard S. Moody	50.00	
Clerk, Lee R. Babkirk	62.50	
Treasurer, George A. Norton	. 75.00	
Tax Collector, J. E. Seavey	125.00	
Auditors, (1922)		
Frank B. Moody	5.00	
George A. Sewall	5.00	
		\$ 472.50
Expenses		
Deinting town appear	110.00	
Printing town reports	110.00	
Transportation, postage and	22.00	
telephone charges	22.00	
Official stationery and blanks	4.95	
Tax bills and Receipt book	5.50	
Bonding town officers	21.00	
Legal Services, Albert R. Hatch	62.90	
Perambulating town	30.00	
		256.35

Detail 2. Election and Registration

Expenses—

Ballot Clerks	18.00
Ballots	3.50
Supervisors	40.00
Dinners for Clerks	13.30

74.80

BALANCE SHEET

January 31, 1922

Assets

Cash in hands of town treasurer	\$793.30
Accounts due town—	
Taxes not collected for 1920	85.80
Taxes not collected for 1921	320.34
Taxes not collected for 1922	4,451.68
Due from state, bal. on highways—	
State Aid Construction	3.68
State Aid Maintenance	614.14
Total assets	6,268.94
Total Indebtedness of Town	18,233.10

\$24,502.04

Liabilities

Higways:

Unexpended balance in town	treasury
Federal Road	2,000.00
State Aid Construction	9.21
State Aid Maintenance	390.94
Trunk Line Maintenance	101.89
Bonded Indebtedness	22,000.00

\$24,502.04

Bond due Mar. 1, 1923 to school district.

Taxes

Amount of taxes committed to		
Collector for 1922		\$20,049.70
Amount collected for 1922	15,087.18	
Discounts .	433.97	
Exemptions, school tax abated etc.	76.87	
Uncollected	4,451.68	
Taxes uncollected for, 1920	85.80	
Taxes uncollected for 1921	320.34	
Taxes uncollected for 1922	4,451.68	
-		\$ 4,857.82
Taxes collected for 1921	1,132.85	
Taxes collected for 1922	15,087.18	
-		*4.6.000.00
Total amount collected		\$16,220.03
Rate of taxation \$3.30 on \$100		

ELMER D. MOULTON, JOHN A. CHAPMAN, RICHARD S. MOODY,

Selectmen of Greenland

We certify that the accounts of the selectmen have been carefully examined and found to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEO. A. SEWALL, FRANK B. MOODY,

Auditors.

TOWN TREASURERS REPORT.

Receipts

Jan. 31st, 1922. Balance on Deposit	\$1,020.12
John E. Seavey, taxes	16,220.03
Lee R. Babkirk, Auto Taxes	235.90
Albert R. Hatch, Trust Fund	100.00
Stewart E. Rowe, Treasurer	133.94
From State Forest Fire	8.55
From Town of Deerfield	604.86
Stewart E. Rowe, Treasurer	274.53
State Aid Construction	200.00
Temporary Loan	995.00
Amos D. Bridges Sons, Gravel	8.40
State Aid Construction	132.36
Trunk Line Maintenance	291.04
From Stewart E. Rowe, Treasurer	380.75

\$20,605.48

Expenditures

Paid	Se1	ectme	n's	Orders	\$19,812.18
Cash	on	hand	to	Balance	793.30

DOG LICENSE FUND

Jan. 31st. Cash on hand from	1921 146.00	
Dog Tax for 1922	106.00	
	The second	\$ 252.00
Paid Order No. 428 to Schools	146.00	
Balance Brought down	106.00	
		\$ 252.00

GEORGE A. NORTON, Treasurer.

We certify that the accounts of the Treasurer have been carefully examined and found to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

> GEO. A. SEWALL, FRANK B. MOODY,

> > Auditors.

Reports of the Highway Agents

Detail 3. Town of Greenland to Frank P. Hughes, Dr.

SUMMER ACCOUNT

To labor on highway	\$ 98.95
Paid Wm. Beck	38.80

\$137.75

SNOW ACCOUNT

Feb. 1922			
Paid Rinfret Bros.		\$ 28.15	
" Fred Witham		3.80	
" Warren Witham		2.00	
"F. P. Hughes	\	3.80	
" F. J. Dearborn		7.20	
" C. Gowen		2.80	
" J. Smith		2.80	
			\$ 50.55
Jan. 1923			
Paid Lewis Barnaby		\$ 12.40	
" Earl Barnaby		6.40	
" Donald Magnire		10.80	

"	Walter Witham	5.40
"	Charles Rumrill	29.00
"	E. E. Glass	25.20
22	C. Gowen	2.80
"	G. Hicks	1.60
22	W. E. Beck	10.00
"	Alvin Tuttle	14.00
"	William Barnaby	10.80
,,	Edward Hulm	6.60
29	McCoy	8.80
22	Wm. Hughes	22.80
22	Archie Barnaby	6.40
,,	C. E. Ireland	40.50
"	F. P. Hughes	57.38

\$270.88

Received Payment from Town, F. P. HUGHES, Highway Agent.

Town of Greenland to W. P. Hoyt, Dr.

SUMMER ACCOUNT.

Paid W. A. Odell		
Labor on sidewalk		\$56.00
To 7 days labor	21.00	
" 5 days labor with teams	35:00	

SNOW ACCOUNT

Winter of 1922			
Paid Stephan Evans		2.50	
" W. A. Odell		10.50	
" W. P. Hoyt		10.50	
			23.50
Winter of 1922-23			
Paid W. A. Odell		12.00	
" E. S. Daniell	;	13.50	
" Carlo Succi		22.50	
" Victor		19.50	
" W. P. Hoyt		40.50	
			108.00

108.00

Received payment from Town, W. P. HOYT,

Highway Agent.

Town of Greenland to A. J. Sewall, Dr.

SNOW ACCOUNT

Winter of 1922 To labor breaking out Roads

\$21.60

\$21.60

Received Payment from Town, ARTHUR J. SEWALL,

Highway Agent.

Town of Greenland to Samuel Kirkwood, Dr.

Paid	Samuel Kirkwood	\$24.00
"	Richard Moody	28.80
,,	C. F. Marden	16.40
"	Jaub Sanderson	12.80
"	Judson Sanderson	12.60
,,	Leon Thompson	1.60
"	Clarence Thompson	1.60
,,	Warren Crowell	7.20
"	John Crowell	5.20
33	Otis Gleason	5.40
"	Bert Gleason	2.80
27	L. D. Dority	7.20
"	George H. Berry	2.40
99	William McIntire	12.20
"	William Dawson	1.60
"	W. A. Odell	19.20
2.9	E. D. Moulton	12.40

\$173.40

Received Payment from Town, SAMUEL KIRKWOOD, Highway Agent.

Detail 4. Report of State Aid Construction.

OCEAN ROAD

W. P. Hoyt, team	\$119.00
I. Chapman, team	119.00

S. Kirkwood, team	112.00
R. Moody, team	113.00
W. E. Beck, team	63.00
C. H. Brackett, team	84.00
E. S. Daniell, team	98.00
W. P. Hoyt, labor	72.00
C. Marden, labor	70.00
A. Marston, labor	25.50
W. Witham, labor	45.50
W. Witham, Jr., labor	18.00
J. Bohanan, labor	56.00
H. Haley, labor	37.50
W. Crowell, labor	45.00
L. Thompson, labor	51.00
A. Manson, labor	7.00
Schurman & Sons, shovels	7.75
Blacksmith	.25

\$1,163.50

Received Payment from Town,
WINTHROP P. HOYT,

Highway Agent.

Library Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1922	\$ 30.83
Town Treasurer	450.00
Interest from Salter fund	20.00
Old Magazines	1.20
Library fines	28.09

\$530.12

EXPENDITURES

Books		\$179.81
Fuel		96.00
Lights	1	13.80
Librarian		100.00
Janitor		44.50
Cleaning library	*	2.70
Supplies		7.52
Magazines	*	13.90
Postage		1.55
Repairs .		3.75
Cash on hand Feb. 1,	1923	66.59

\$530.12

CARRIE W. BECK, Treas.

LIBRARY REPORT

The twenty-fifth annual report of the Weeks Library for the year 1922--'23 is submitted to the town.

The work of the Library for the year has continued uninterruptedly except for the two holidays, Memorial Day and July Fourth and the circulation—5829—surpassed our banner year by 206. 39 borrowers' cards have been issued, the majority of the new patrons being children

We have added 169 books, of which ten volumes were presented. Our list of non-fiction is rather meager, as the cost of this class of books is abnormally high and requests for them are infrequent as compared with those for fiction.

We have been unusually economical this year and therefore show a larger balance than usual. This was necessary in order to have money to pay for an addition to the capacity of our card catalog, which after its twenty-five years of service is completely outgrown. Our children's books are receiving hard usage, so that many of them must soon be replaced, and these two items will speedily wipe out our surplus.

The year's accession list follows:

GENERAL LITERATURE

Advance of English poetry in the twentieth century. Phelps Anthology of magazine verse. Braithwaite. (Presented) Book of Mormon. (Presented) Books and Characters. Strachey Child of the Orient. Vaka. Christianity and progress. Fosdick Essays in Lent. Marbie History of the art of table-setting. (Presented) History of the World War. March Home radio. Verrill Human nature in the Bible. Phelps In His steps today. Sheldon International Jew. Vols 3 and 4. (Presented) Intimate pages of Mexican history. O'Shaughnessey Jew and American ideals Spargo. (Presented) Jewish chaplain in France. Levinger. (Presented) Lighter side of School Life. Hay Literary guillotine. Manchuria. (Presented) Meaning of faith. Fosdick Memories of a hostess. Howe Mind in the making. Robinson My boyhood. Burroughs. New tasks for old Churches. Babson. Outwitting our nerves. Jackson. Pets-their history and care. Crandall Public refuses to pay. Bullard (Presented) Reminiscences of a Soldier's Wife. Logan Social Entertainments. Day Soldiers' Memorial. Portsmouth 1893-1921. Foster. (Presented) Spirit of Youth. Addams We Discover New England.

JUVENILE

Adventures of Danny Meadow Mouse. Burgess
Adventures of Unc' Billy Possum. Burgess
Annes. Taggart
Arabian Nights' Stories
Blue Beard.
Bobbsey Twins. Hope
Bobbsey Twins at School. Hope
Bobbsey Twins at the Sea Shore. Hope
Bobbsey Twins in the Country. Hope
Boy Scouts at Crater Lake. Eaton

Hone

Bunny Brown and Sister Sue. Hope Bunny Brown and Sister Sue at Camp Rest-a-while. Hope Bunny Brown and Sister Sue on grandfather's farm. Bunny Brown and Sister Sue playing circus. Hope Caroline at College. Richards Deering at Princeton. Griswold Deering of Deal. Griswold Dorothy Dainty at Crestville. Brooks Dorothy Dainty at home. Brooks Dorothy Dainty's Treasure Chest. Brooks Dorothy Dainty in the mountains. Brooks Dorothy Dainty's gay time. Brooks Fighting to win. Ellis Terhune Further adventures of Lad. Henrietta's inheritance. Richards Ingleside. Yechton Lad-a-dog. Terhune Merry adventures of Robin Hood. Pyle Mitch Miller. Masters Mother Goose and the Golden Eggs. Lightfoot Old Mother West Wind. Burgess Old Mother West Wind's children. Bourgess Polaris. Baynes Scouting with Mad Anthony. Tomhinson Scouts of Stonewall. Altshler Sleeping Beauty Some 300 years ago. Brewster Story of Red Riding Hood. Duffield Sword of Antietam. Altscheler Tale of Peter Rabbitt. Potter Teddy, her daughter. Ray Three Bears Turned about girls. Dix Winds of Deal. Griswold Winona on her own. Weddemer Young forester. Grey

FICTION

Adrienne Toner. Segwick Anne Severn and the Fieldings. At the Cross Roads. Comstock Awakening. Diver Babbitt. Lewis Bell in the fog. Atherton Big Peter. Marshall Black Oxen. Atherton Breaking point. Rinehart

Bridge Builders. Ray Cappy Ricks. Kyne Cappy Ricks retires. Kyne Carnais Folly. Parker Certain People of Importance. Norris Charles Rex. Dell Charm School. Miller City of Fire. Lutz Country Beyond. Curwood Covered Wagon. Hough Daddy Long-legs. Webster Dancers in the Dark. Wylie Dark House. Dim Lantern. Bailey Dust Flower. King Enchanted April. Arnim Everlasting Whisper. Gregory Eyes of Love. Harris Fair Harbor. Lincoln Flowing Gold. Beach Flying U Ranch. Bower Four Square. Richmond Gentle Julia. Tarkington Glimpses of the Moon. Wharton Granite and Clay. Bassett Green Mantle. Buchan Head of the House of Coombe. Heart, of the Desert. Wilkie Hidden Fires. Sinclair High Flyers. Kelland House of Peril. Tracy House of Rimmon. Watts Island Cure. Blanchard Jane Journeys On. Mitchell Joan of Arc of the North Woods, Joan of the Island. Barbour Kindred of the Dust. Kyne Bottome King Fisher. Lonesome Town. Dorrance (Presented) Lost Valley. Gerould Lucretia Lombard. Norris Lure of the North. Bindloss Man from Bar 20. Mulford Man's Country. MacFarlane Man Who Couldn't Sleep. Stringer Man Who Lived in a Shoe. Forman Martin Eden. London Minister of Grace. Widdemer Thurston Miracle.

Miss Esperance and Mr. Wycherley. Harker Bennett Mr. Prohack. Northwest. Bindloss Old Crow. Brown Once Aboard the Lugger. Hutchinson One Man in His Time. Glasgow Outlaw. Gregory Pagan of the Alleghanies. Rvan Patricia Brent. Spinster Plow Woman. Gates Prairie Child. Stringer "Q." Burt Ramrodders. Day Richard. Brvant Robin. Burnett Rough Hewn. Canfield Saint Teresa. Harrison Sleeping Fires. Atherton Spinster of this Parish. Steele of the Royal Mounted. Support. Ashmun Tale of Triona. Locke Taming of Zenas Henry. Bassett Thirty Nine Steps. Buchan This Freedom. Hutchinson Two Shall Be Born. Oemler Vanishing of Betty Varian. Vehement Flame. Deland Wall Between. Bassett Wall of Men. McCarter Wanderer of the Wasteland. Grey White People. Burnett

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN A. ODELL,

Librarian.

Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

To the School Board of Greenland:

The boys and girls of Greenland are worthy of the best we can give them. They will grow up to face conditions of working and living far different from those that we had to face. There will be keen competition. Whether they live in the city or the country, they will have to compete with people who have had the advantages of a first class education. We cannot afford not to give our boys and girls the best teachers and the best schools that we are able to provide.

It is becoming increasingly difficult except in the larger places to get good teachers. During the past spring and summer we scoured the state and invaded Vermont, Maine and Massachusetts in the effort to find qualified teachers who would be willing to come to Greenland. The normal schools are not training enough girls to meet the demand and would have to make a teacher out of one in every three of our high school graduates in order to meet the need of trained teachers. Pennsylvania, New York, and New Jersey, realizing for some time that they could not supply all their own schools, have increased salaries and invited the cream of the teaching force of New England to come in.

Our problem is to make teaching in our schools so attractive that the best teachers will be willing to come to us and stay with us. Fault-finding and uninformed criticism will not win them. Only a sympathetic understanding of the many problems a teacher has to face daily and a cheerful spirit of working together on the part of all those who have to do with the schools, will make it possible to get and retain good teachers. If living expenses for the teacher are high in Greenland, salaries will need to correspond.

Good teaching is a highly technical matter which has been largely developed and vastly improved in our generation. It is fully as technical as surgery or engineering and requires just as much study and skill. It is no longer a single process that any one can carry out but a multitude of different processes for each one of the studies to be taught, including dozens in arithmetic, six in spelling, ten in reading and numerous others in writing, geography, history, and the other studies. Each one of these processes requires a background of psychological fact and understanding of child nature that only the trained and experienced teacher possesses. The good teacher who understands her business and can train minds and not spoil them is worth as much to the community as the engineer, the architect, the dentist or the surgeon. She should be paid accordingly. latest report gives the medium salary for village teachers in schools of three rooms or more as \$900 for Maine and New Hampshire; \$1100 for Massachusetts and Rhode Island; \$1200 for Connecticut and New York: and \$1400 for New Jersey. This means that most of

the teachers in neighboring states except Vermont in schools like ours are receiving more money and shows that we are not paying too much in Greenland.

The good teacher not only understands the business she is hired to carry on, but makes that business her chief interest. It should have first claim to her time and energy. She not only knows how to deal with the boys and girls in her charge, but recognizes that parents have a much higher and more lasting interest in those same boys and girls and is willing to take them into her confidence and co-operate with them in every good work for the children. Long live the Parents-Teachers-Association! May it continue to foster as it has done the cordial spirit of friendliness and co-operation between the school and the home.

In spite of the wish for improvement that I have with regard to every school in the Union, I recognize the need of scrutinizing expenses carefully. Yet I cannot see where any of the school money provided for the current year is being spent needlessly or is being squandered. I think Greenland people may well have confidence in the School Board and depend on them to conserve the interests of the town as well as to promote the well-being of the schools.

The cordial friendliness extended to me by the people of Greenland is highly appreciated. The friendly counsel of the School Board and the loyalty of a faithful corps of teachers have made the year's work one of increasing satisfaction.

Respectfully submitted,
O. R. McCOY,
Superintendent of Schools

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES AND REVENUE

For school year July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924.

ESTIMATED EXPENSES

1	Salaries of District Officers	\$ 55.00
2	Superintendent's Excess Salary	153.90
3	Truant Officer and School Census	25.00
4	Expenses of Administration	50.00
5	Teacher's Salaries	4,000.00
6	Text-Books	171.00
7	Scholars' Supplies	205.00
8	Flags and Appurtenances	5.00
10	Janitor Service	360.00
11	Fuel	535.00
12	Water, light, and Janitor's Supplies	120.00
13	Minor Repairs and Expenses	200.00
14.	Medical Inspection	50.00
15	Transportation of Pupils	1,240.00
16	High School and Academy Tuition	800.00
23	New Equipment	75.00
24	Payment of Principal of Debt	1,500.00
25	Payment of Interest on Debt	1.025.00
26	Per Capita Tax	260.00
27	Deficit to July 1, 1923	627.23
	Total Payments for All Purposes	\$11,457.13

ESTIMATED REVENUE

State Aid (Expected but Uncertain)	\$2,642.28
\$5. Tax on \$661,268.	3,272.72
Deficiency Appropriation to July 1, 1923	627.23
Special Appropriations for:	
1 Salaries of District Officers	55.00
2 Superintendent's Excess Salary	153.90
3 Truant Officer and School Census	25.00
4 Expenses of Administration	50.00
16 High School and Academy Tuition	800.00
24 Payment of Principal of Debt	1,500.00
25 Payment of Interest on Debt	1,025.00
26 \$2. Per Capita Tax	260.00
Appropriation for Current Expenses Abov	'e
\$5. Tax	826.00
Other Sources than Taxation,	
Dog Licenses,	110.00
Weeks Fund,	35.00
Rent of Hall,	75.00
Total Revenue from All Sources	\$11,457.13

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER.

Greenland, N. H. Jan. 31st, 1923

To the Honorable School Board of the Town of Greenland:—

The following is the report of your Treasurer for the school year beginning July 1st. 1921 and ending June 30th. 1922.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand July 1st. 1921	\$ 258.04
Town Treasurer	7,044.85
State Treasurer, Equalization Fund	2,609.76
For Bond Interest	575.00
Dog Tax	110.00
Rent of Hall	75.00
For Salaries	60.00
Town of Stratham, Tuition	55.00
Weeks Fund	35.00

\$10,822.65

EXPENDITURES

Teachers Salaries	\$3,737.50
Bond retired	1,500.00
Transportation	1,252.50
Interest on Bonds	1,175.00
Portsmouth High School Tuition	665.00
Fuel	500.00
Janitor	360.00
Supplies	316.42
State per capita tax	268.00
Services of Architect	230.00
Light and Power	140.42
Insurance	125.00
Superintendents salary and expenses	113.43
Printing Bonds	7 9.00
Salaries of School Board	60.00
Lumber and Repairs	58.03
Robinson Female Seminary, tution	55.00
Medical Inspection	50.00
Cleaning School House	35.00
Books	31.08
Legal Services	25.00
Truant Officer	21.50
Freight and Express	8.58
Taking Census	8.00
Clerk	4.00
Auditor	2.00
Teaming	2.00
Cash on hand	.19

\$10,822.65

You will note that of the amount of money raised for the school \$2,609.76 came from the state, also that the amount expended is not wholly chargable up to operating expenses of the school as a little over \$3,000.00 was paid for retiring bond, interest on bonds and other items on account of the new school building.

There is outstanding at this date a balance of \$22,000.00 on the bonds issued for school house construction. All bills in the hands of the Treasurer have been paid.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK B. MOODY,

Treasurer.

Births-1922

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Date	Name of Child	Sex Color Number	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 9	Jan. 9 Frank Norman Ireland	M W 11	M W 11 John M. Ireland	Florence M. Coleman	Medway, Maine Greenland, N. F.	Greenland, N. F.
Jan. 28	Jan. 28 Richard Van Etten	M W 4	M W 4 Hudson Van Etten	Louise Thorpe	Port Jarvis, N. Y. New York	New York
Mar. 13	Mar. 13 Violet Josephine Fitzgerald	F W 1	Samuel Louis Fitzgerald	Helen M. Clark	Greenland, N. H.	No. Berwick, M
Apr. 11	Apr. 11 Robert Melvin Hussey	2 M M	M W 5 Chas. William Hussey	Mildred May Smith	Cambridge, Mass. Hingham, Mass.	Hingham, Mass,
June 14	June 14 Precilla Jane Barnaby	F W 11	F W 11 Louis A. Barnaby	Charlotte A. Thompson	Nova Scotia	England
July 12	July 12 Richard Thomas Davis	M W 4	M W 4 Albert H. Davis	Lizzie Davis	Amherst, N. H.	Cambridge, Vt.
Aug. 22	Aug. 22 Milton Wilfred Brown, Jr.	M W 1	M W 1 Milton W. Brown	Myra Barnaby	Massachusetts	Stratham, N. H
Sept. 27	Sept. 27 Ernest Constantine Tsivoglou	M W 3	M W 3 Constantine J. Tsivoglou Lucinda Stern	Lucinda Stern	Constantinople	Boston, Mass.
Oct. 11	Oct. 11 Ruth Dorothy Hulme	F W 4	Edmund Hulme	Eva May Mayo	Providence, R. I.	Plattsburg, N. ?
Oct. 14	Oct. 14 Robert Bradbury Harvey	M W 3	M W 3 Lloyd Byron Harvey	Marion Byron	Haverhill, Mass.	Portsmouth, N.
Oct. 13	Oct. 13 Marie Rita Boisvert	F W 7	F W 7 John B. Boisvert	Mary Jane Gelina	Canada	Canada
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Marriages-1922

Date	Name of Groom and Bride		Color	Condition	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	By Whom Married
Apr. 14	Apr. 14 Ralph De Rochemont Brackett 27 W Ruth Cogswell Button 23 W	23	≱ ≽	1 2	Greenland, N. H. Exeter, N. H.	Chas. H. Brackett Fannie Lamprey John R. Button Abbie C	Moses Richardson Lowell, Clergyman Durham, N. H.
Nov. 10	Mov. 10 Raymond Abbott Willis Mary Kathleen Marchand	18	≱≽		East Bridgewater, Mass. Brockton, Mass.	Louis B. Willis Della C. Harris Henry J. Marchand Mary Ellen Bussey	Lee R. Babkirk, Justice of the Peace Greenland, N. H.

Deaths-1922

Cause of Death	Chronic Myocardites Premature Child Hydrophalus Hemorrhage of Mucus Membranes of Intestines Myocarditis Chronic Intestinal Nephritis Cerebral Hemorrhage Premature Child Lobar Pneumonia Still-born Diabetes Carcinoma of prostate Duodeual Ulcer Arterio Sclerosis Lobar Pneumonia
Place of Birth	H H
Place of Death	19 — 2 F W — Melrose, Mass. 1 9 6 F W — Greenland, N. H. Greenland, N. H. 74 2 7 M W — Greenland, N. H. Greenland, N. H. 71 9 4 M W M Greenland, N. H. Pittsfield, N. H. 50 9 29 M W M Greenland, N. H. Highgate, Vt. 6 4 M W S North Hampton, N. H. Portsmouth, N. H. 78 2 29 M W Greenland, N. H. Greenland, N. H. 78 2 29 M W S North Hampton, N. H. Greenland, N. H. 72 7 23 F W W Greenland, N. H. Greenland, N. H. 67 11 24 M W S Greenland, N. H. Greenland, N. H.
Years Months Days Golor Color	71 119 119 129 143 143 143 143 143 143 143 143 143 143
Name of Deceased	Jan. 24 Mary E. Haines Mar. 6 Diane-Howard Apr. 13 Warren Farrington Ireland Apr. 21 Judson B. Sanderson May 25 Isaac Newton Carr June 17 Lymr. Judson Sanderson June 19 Child of William Barnaby June 29 George Albion Ireland Aug. 7 George Winifield Berry Oct. 17 Mary Josephine Hart Dec. 30 Edward Robie Weeks
Date	Jan. 24 Reb. 22 Mar. 6 Apr. 13 Apr. 21 May 25 June 17 June 19 June 29 Aug. 7 Oct. 3 Oct. 17

